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THE MURDER OF DR. HARLAN

HATTIE WOOLSTEEN MAKES A CONFLICTING CONFESSION AND ATTEMPTS SUICIDE.

Revelations of a Remarkable Crime in California-Curious Conduct of the Los Augeles Chief of Police - Was the We-man's Story Obtained Under Threats? -She Sald at First Harlan Shot Himself.

[SPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD.] San Francisco, Oct. 17.-No occurrence in recent years in Los Angeles has aroused more excitement than the revelation that the few charred and crisped human remains found in a burned barn at Compton on Oct. 7 was all that was left of Dr. E. C. Harlan, a popular dentist in former days and one of the best known sporting men on this coast. The remains had been inclosed in a rough box and dumped into an out-of-the-way place, The belief that a dreadful murder had been committed gained ground.

From facts gathered by the Chief of Police the story as it now stands is evolved. Har-lan had gradually yielded to the fascination of gambling until he had thrown aside his profitable profession and constantly haunted the gambling hells. He was successful at the tables, and soon opened a place of his own, which became the most prominent and notorious resort of

the most prominent and notorious resort of its kind in town. Countrymen were trapped within its walls and unhesitatingly fleeced. Young men about town fared little better. The matter reaching a crisis, the Chief of Police determined to "pull" the games. Just as he was ready to do so he learned that Harlan was not in the city, and in consequence the raid was postponed.

Chief Darcey learned that Harlan had come to Compton, and with him a handsome young woman of Mexican descent. Harlan, although married, had a weakness for this young woman, Miss Woolsteen. The clew of Harlan's disappearance, when followed up, showed that he had taken the girl with him, ostensibly to sell her several lots. It was learned that the couple returned to the city in the evening, Harlan accompanied by a stranger. They went back to Compton again about midnight. At 4 o'clock in the morning the team which had conveyed the party was returned to the livery stable from which it disappeared.

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The chief, acting on his suspicions when he first heard of the burning of the barn, took with him to Compton Dr. Bird, who had filled a tooth for Harlan and would be able to recognize his work. The box holding the remains was unearthed and its contents examined. After forcing the charred jaws open the dentist at once said that the remains were Harlan's. On the cranium of the murdered man were found, at the post mortem, positive evidence of gunshot wounds. The legs and arms to the knee and elbow were burned away, but on the right breast, above the nipple, was a patch of discolored skin some five inches in diameter, and below this were indications that he had been beaten severely. On the left breast was a cut seven inches long.

Meanwhile Miss Woolsteen had called at the chief's office and stated that she had visited Compton with Harlan to look at some lots and they returned to the city. She had not seeu him since. The next development in the case was information as to the whereabouts of Hattie Woolsteen and her sister Minnie on the fatal night. From lodgers at the house it was learned that about 8 o'clock on the morning of the supposed murder the two girls, who had been out riding with two strange

was learned that about 8 o'clock on the morning of the supposed murder the two girls, who had been out riding with two strange gentlemen, came home alone. They drove up to the house in a buggy, and went hurriedly to their bedroom, which is on the ground floor. One of the lodgers helped the women to alight and put up their baggage. It was not until Saturday that the murder was discovered.

CONFESSION AND ATTEMPTED SUICIDE. After Hattie Woolsteen had been in custody of the Chief some days on suspicion of complicity in the murder she made a confession and supplemented it by an attempt to commit suicide by taking chloroform. She is now hovering between life and death. In her confession Hattie admits that she and Harlan quarrelled upon the day of the murder, and says she upbraided him severely for his duplicity and deception. Finally, after he had told her he could do nothing to right the wrong he had done her, as he was already married, she took a pistol from the folds of her dress and, in the heat of passion, killed him. She says she aimed at his head, but she does not know where the bullet struck. She then hoisted the body from the buggy, dragged it to the barn and set the After Hattie Woolsteen had been in custody

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After all is said, the case has some very peculiar not to say mysterious features. Public opinion is on the girl's side. She was kept in close confinement for four days by the Chief of Police. Reporters were not allowed to see her. At last they took out a wrist of habeas corpus in order to obtain an interview with her.

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So soon as the Chief heard of the proceedings he had a charge of murder sworn out, and Hattie was taken to court, where the nature of the charge was explained to her. She was greatly terrified and pleaded not guilty. When she got back to jail she confessed and tried to take her life.

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The chief says the girl told him two stories of the murder. She said that as she and Harlan were out riding on the road to Compton, in the darkness of the night, she made a solemn appeal to him for simple justice. The man tried to ward off her direct question, "If he intended doing right by her?" but urged on by her wrongs, and sustained by her sense of what was due her, she at last compelled him to say that he could make no reparation. He was already married and the girl was without redress. So far her tale has been been substantially the same. The two versions of what followed are given by the Chief: First she said that, touched by her swful cry of grief, when told that the man who by posing as unmarried and holding out hope of correcting her weakness at the altar, had deceived her, Harlan drew a revolver from his pocket, put it to his head and fired. Death was almost instants. holding out hope of correcting her weakness at the altar, had deceived her, Harlan drew a revolver from his pocket, put it to his head and fired. Death was almost instantaneous. Shocked and frightened, all alone in the night, the girl did not know what to do. Finally, recalling a barn near Compton, she managed to drive the buggy there. She then succeeded in lifting the dead form of her lover and, dragging it into the barn, lad it on a heap of straw, and taking a match from the man's vest pocket, set fire to the combustible pile. Her only thought was to get rid of all evidence of the horrible deed. She then returned to Los angeles and took the buggy back to the livery stable. After Hattie had told this story she asked the Chief if he thought it a good story, or what kind of a mory would take best in court. She was told bluntly to tell the truth.

"Well," she replied, "when Harlan drew his revolver he said to me:

"Hattie, you had better kill me or I will kill myself."

She then said, "I will," pulled out a pistol of her own and sped the bullet through Harlan.

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irregular features and a sallow complexion. yet there is something striking about the slight, girlish figure.

People in Los Angeles think that the girl was prompted to suicide on account of the shame of exposure of her character, and not because she was guilty of murder. They say her confession was obtained under threats.

POLICE ENFORCE THE BLUE LAWS.

Pruckmen Arrested for Removing Baggage Jurom Jerome Park on Suday.

Sporting men are in a high state of indignation over Police Capt. Siebert's action in seizing the baggage from the Jerome Park stables yesterday. This is the first attempt made to stretch the blue laws so as to prevent people from moving their personal bag-gage on the Sabbath, and the horse-owners whom Capt. Siebert interfered with clamor loudly for fair play.

"How is it," asked one of the Dwyer brothers yesterday, "that the police arrest the truckmen having charge of the baggage from our stables on Sunday, when at the same hour a hundred express wagons are plying unmolested between the residences of theatrical

press wagons are plying unmolested between the residences of theatrical people, the hotels and the railway depota? Where is the line to be drawn? Why is it more of a violation of law to remove the saddles and blankets from our stables than to move an actor's trunk, containing his paint, powder and stage costumes?"

W. H. Jennings, S. S. Brown, James Rowe, J. B. Haggin and D. A. Honig, the other horse-owners who were inconvenienced by Captain Siebert's action, also complained bitterly of the injustice done. No notice was given them that the police intended to arrest their truckmen, and the moving on Sunday was so necessary and had proceeded so long without molestation that it did not enter into their minds that it could be construed as a breach of the law. The Baltimore race meeting takes place to-morrow, but most of the New York horses entered will not reach there until late this evening, owing to the delay caused here by the police. The horses had to stand at the police station several hours without food, and they could not be despatched on their long journey until this morning. They will naturally be in a more or less exhausted condition when they reach Baltimore, and will have very little time in which to recuperate for the races.

Justice Power, sitting in the Harlem Court, took a very different view of the law from that held by Capt. Siebert. When the four truckmen were arraigned before him this morning he said he thought that their offense, if an offense at all, was not a very venical one, and that unless he found some provision in the law stronger than any yet brought to his notice, he would have to hold the removal of the baggage under such circumstances perfectly legal. The truckmen were there-

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KEEPING OUT THE CHOLERA.

The Steamship Britannia Detained at Quar antine.

The steamship Britannia, consigned to J. W. Riwell & Co., has been detained in Quarantine ince last Friday. The Britannia is a sister ship to the Alesia, which brought the cholera to this port, and comes from the same as the Alesia, The Independente, from the cholera-infected districts,

also from the cholera-infected districts, arrived in Quarantine on Saturday, but was released this morning, after being carefully cleansed and fumigated.

When the Independents was released and the Britannia detained, it gave rise to grave apprensions that some cases of cholera had been discovered among her Italian steerage passengers. The quarantine authorities however, say that there is no sickness aboard the Britannia and that she is merely detained for prehowever, say that there is no sickness aboard the Britannia, and that she is merely detained for pre-cautionary purposes. She is being thoroughly cleansed. Her passengers are being put under close observation to ascertain if any of them are infected with the scourge.

J. Ter Kulle, the passenger agent of the Britannia, when saked about the detention of the Britannia, said: "I am not aware of any sickness."

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Western Union After Cable Messages.

The work of closing the Baltimore and Ohio Telegraph Company's offices has begun. The St. Telegraph Company's offices has begun. The St. Louis office, which has been a transfer office between the Postal and Baltimore and Ohlo companies for the exchange of cable messages, is the first large office to abolished. It is said that this action was taken for the purpose of turning over to the Western for the purpose of turning over to the Western Iulion the important Texas cable service, which the Baltimore and Ohlo Company has heretofore transferred to the Postal Company, to be sent over the Commercial Cable Company's cables. A meeting of the Executive Committee of the Western Union Telegraph Company is to be held this afternoon, to decide what offices are to be closed and to take action on the rate changes.

Rescued and Locked Up.

A man struggling in the East River, at the foot of Thirty-second street, this morning, attracted he attention of Policemen John W. Taylor and Lewis Warren. Both patrolmen sprang over-board to the drowning man's assistance and they succeeded in landing him after much labor. At the station-house the man explained that he fell overboard accidently. He said he was John Archer, fity-two years old, of No. 820 East Thirty-fourth street. As he was intoxicated he was held as a prisoner at the station-house.

A Young Man Dragging a Trunk.

Policeman Adams met a young man dragging a heavy trunk through West Twenty-seventh street at 8 o'clock this morning. The man first said that he got the trunk at the Gilsey House, and then that he found it on the sidewalk. Adams arrested him. He said he was Thomas Hoagrove, of said west Twenty-&h street. The trunk proved to belong to Valence Lambert, a shoemaker, of 18T West Twenty-seventh street, from whose shop it had been stolen by a burglar. Hoagrove was committed at the Jefferson Market Court.

Cold Welcome for Emperor Henry IV. A tall, wild-looking man walked into the office of Bellevue Hospital late last night, and, thumping the deak violentiy, announced that he was "by the grace of God Henry IV., Emperor of Ger-many," and wanted accommedations. He said he had just taken a short walk from Springfield, Mass. He was locked up in the insane pavilion and is there still. He is a German and looks like a farm laborer, but he declines to give any name ex-cept Henry IV. of Germany. of Believue Hospital late last night, and, thumping

A Watch Dog Saves \$500.

Charles Herbert, an ex-convict, and Henry Schaefer tried to rob Herma's grocery store, at 250 East Fourth street, early this morning, but the watch dog kept them at bay until Policeman Muligan strived and arrested them. Justice Patterson, in the Essex Market Police Court, held them a \$500 pall. Mr. Herman said he had \$500 in bills in the place at the time.

Brass Shops Still Closed.

There was no change to-day in the struggle be tween the Chandelier Manufacturers' Association and the Brass-Workers' Union. The rumor that the various shops would open this morning proves to have been without foundation. The Union had pickets stationed at each of the shops this morning, and they all reported that the doors were still closed.

LABOR'S EMPHATIC PROTEST

TO DENOUNCE THE RECENT POLICE CLUB-BING IN UNION SQUARE.

Organized Labor to Have a Big Processi and a Big Meeting This Evening Addresses Expected From Ex-Gov. Abbett, Thomas C. Platt and a United States Sen-

ROTESTING Progres-

sive Labor men and omen, and as many other citizens as choose to join them, are preparing for a large demonstration this evening in remonstrance against the interference of the police with the peaceful assemblage of the people. The Police Department, though with

less noise, is asactively preparing for the preservation of the peace ervation of the peace of the meeting.
It is expected that fully 10,000 Progressives will march to the plaza from the head-quarters of the forty-five labor unions and a half dozen Assembly

a half dozen Assembly district organizations of the Progressive Labor party. Many of the organizations will assemble on corners convenient to Union Square, and all the bodies will move towards the place of meeting at 7 o'clock, in accordance with the instructions of Editor Shevitch, who has charge of all the arrangements internally of the Webster Hall party for peace.

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Sergius Schevitch will preside at the cotage stand, and there will be several trucks from which addresses will be made. Among the speakers will be Col. Richard Hinton, Prof. De Leon, Herbert A. Barker, of Albany, Progressive Labor candidate for Comptroller; Mrs. Col. Hinton and Mme. De Lacluse, from the cottage stand; Editor Alexander Jonas, Thomas O'Neill, Edward Goldsmith, the co-operative hatter, and Charles Sothern will preside on the trucks, and Candidates J. Edward Hall, Henry Emrich, Thaddeus B. Wakeman and Raymond F. Barnes will speak there. Hugh Greenar, of District Assembly 49, Knights of Labor, George E. McVeagh, Frederick Haller, and Edward King, delegates at large of the Central Labor Union, Almont Barnes, Edward W. Searing, C. J. Sweeney, George C. Block, and others will also speak.

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Ex-Governor Abbett, of New Jersey, ex-Senator Thomas C. Platt and a present United States Senator, whose name is withheld, wrote to the Progressive Labor party Executive Compiltoe expressing their indignation at the police interference with the, former Union Square meeting, and offering their voices at to-night's meeting. Replies were sent to these letters that there would be no speeches. At last evening's meeting of the committee it was decided to have speeches. It is expected that these gentlemen will be present to-night, together with several other citizens not in sympathy with the Progressives, but who are desirous of condemning police interference with peaceful gatherings by lending their presence to the protesting meeting. Chairman Shevitch has issued a proclamation to those who attend the meeting to be peaceful, quiet and submissive even under insult or indignity, and to quickly disperse at the first symptom of trouble. The Central Labor Union's plan of an internal Police Committee will be followed so far as possible, and one man in each one hundred will be provided with a badge indicating that

possible, and one man in each one hundred will be provided with a badge indicating that he is a member of the Police Committee.

The Central Labor Union last evening voted that no flags save the Stars and Stripes should be carried by its subordinate organizations in the parade and at the meeting this evening, but the Socialists of the Progressive Labor party declare that they will not be dictated to by anyone or any body in the matter, and they will carry the red flag, which signifies to them the bloodkinship of all laboring men. The George Convention which will assemble also this evening will be asked to adjourn and take part in the demonstration, but little hope of their compliance with the request is expressed by the Progressive leaders.

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While the instigators of the meeting are busy, Supt. Murray is not idle, and he has made careful preparations for any emergency. While he says he expects no trouble at all, he will be in readiness to meet any trouble that may arise. There will be five hundred policemen stationed in Union Square in and out of uniform, and under the direct compand of Inspector Steers, in whose district out of uniform, and under the direct com-mand of Inspector Steers, in whose district the Square is located, Capts. Reilly, of the Nineteenth; Clinchy, of the Eighteenth; Car-penter, of the Twentieth, and Allaire, of the Eleventh, with twenty sergeants, will act as subordinates to Inspector Steers. Supt. Murray will be on hand in person, Five hundred other men will be held in reserve at the station and by the use of the party the station, and by the use of the patrol wagons they can all be at the place in twenty minutes. Editor Shevitch and Police Supt. Murray

had an interview on the subject of the meet ing when the former went to Police Head quarters and got a permit for the demonstra

The leaders of the Progressive Labor party say that so far as their party is concerned, there will be no disturbance nor provocation for one. They have no fear of trouble from the George men, but do fear police interference. They have been warned that they will have trouble.

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Among the organizations that will participate as bodies are the following Labor Unions: Machinists' Progressive, United Machinists No. 2, Locksmiths and Railing-Makers, Tailors' Progressive No. 1, Furniture-Makers No. 7, Masons No. 11, Surgical Instrument Makers, United Framers, Masons' Laborers No. 1, Independent Clothing Cutters, Waiters, No. 1, Independent Millers and Millwrights No. 1, German Coopers No. 1 Tailors' Progressive No. 11, Peddlars', Silk, Rebbon, Weavers' Progressive, Masters No. 1, German Painters' Carriage and Wagon Makers', German Brass Workers', Carpenters' Progressive, Swiss Embroiderers', Cornice and Skylight Makers' and Cigar-makers' Progressive unions Nos. 90 and 10, besides the Eighth, Tenth, Fifteenth and Seventeenth Assembly District Progressive Labor organisations. Assembly District Progressive Labor organ-

The President at Nashville, [SPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD.] NASHVILLE, Tenn., Oct. 17.—President Cleve-land and party arrived here this morning and were greeted enthusiastically by an immense crowd.

United Labor's County Convention The County Convention of the United Labor arty will meet to-night in Cooper Union Hall. It sexpected that a full ticket will be nominated for ounty and city offices.

MR. BALFOUR IN IRELAND.

Consternation Over the Woodford Meeting-Probable Arrests To-day.

[SPECIAL CABLE TO THE EVENING WORLD.] DUBLIN, Oct. 17 .- Mr. Balfour is now in Dublin, and to-day will consult with his colleagues at the castle as to the state of the country. Sir West Ridgway is here also getting inducted into the duties of the Under Scoretaryship.

CASTLE PROPLE CHAGBINED The Castle people are bewildered, and the chagrin of their friends is not concealed at the march stolen on the Government by the holding of the demonstration at Woodford on Saturday at midnight.

THE WOODPORD MEETING A SUCCESS. The meeting was a decided success, the town being illuminated, and it was signalized by Mr. O'Brien, M. P. publicly burning the Gazette containing the proclamation.

TENANTS TO GO TO THE COURTS. Lord Lieut. Lord Londonderry hos re turned no reply to the memorial of his County Down tenants for a reduction of rent, and a resolution was passed that they go into the land courts.

DEMONSTRATION AT BELFAST TO-NIGHT. Col. Saunderson, M. P., addresses a monster demonstration in Ulster Hall, Belfast, to-night, after opening the new Orange Hall, Ballenafeigh, in the borders of the town. He follows close on Mr. Chamberlain's policy. WARRANTS FOR THE MITCHELLSTOWN SHOOT-ERS.

Warrants have been issued for by Corone Rice against Brownrigg and the policemen who fired on the people at Mitchellstown and will probably be executed to-day. They will all be liberated when brought before the magistrate.

Royalty Has the Measles.

[SPECIAL CABLE TO THE EVENING WORLD.] COPENHAGEN, Oct. 17 .- Princess Maude and Princes Lovise, daughters of the Prince of Wales, who are both suffering from an attack of measles, are progressing favorably toward recovery. Princess Maud is the worst sufferer from the disease. Xrincess Louise has only a slight attack.

THOMAS NORRIS'S GALLANT WORK.

He Rescues Four Helpless Persons From Fire in South Street.

When fire broke out at 17 South street, at o'clock this morning, Thomas Norris, a young Englishman, was asleep on the top floor of the building. He was awakened by the crackling of the fire and smell of smoke. Hastily putting on some of his clothes, he ran down

to the street, and then took all the rescued people around to Coenties slip.

The fire spread from 17 South street to 123 and 125 Broad street, where W. W. Wickes kept a stock of syrups and molasses. Wickes's loss is estimated at \$30,000. The building is damaged to the amount of \$7,000. Mr. Allport's loss at 17 South street amounts to \$6,000. The loss on the building is estimated at \$10,000. Several persons who had offices in the building suffered small losses.

HARLEM'S EXCISE RIOT.

Four Italians Held for Clubbing a Policema and Breaking His Arm.

The riot which followed an attempt to make an excise arrest in "Little Italy" last night, resulted in six Italians being arraigned in the Harlem Court this morning. Policeman Bowden, whose arm was broken by a blow with an iron bar, and Policeman Drew, who was stabbed in the back, were both in court.

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Bowden and Drew tried to enter Antonio Chipoletto's saloon at 315 East One Hundred and Eleventh street, because a woman complained of the noise a party of Italians were making in the place. Immediately a crowd of Italians armed with all sorts of weapons, attacked them. The policemen captured their principal assailants and, returning with reinforcements, arrested Chipoletto and two other Italians.

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The prisoners were Peter Rega, of 313 East One Hundred and Eleventh street; John Cappa, of 315 East One Hundred and Eleventh street; Nicholas Scarrose, of 407 East One Hundred and Twelfth street; Antonio Justi, of 315 East One Hundred and Eleventh street, and Carlo Purola. Bowden identified Rega as the man who broke his arm, and said he had also been assaulted with clubs by all the others, except Purola. The four men were held for trial. Purola was discharged and the complaint against Chipoletto and Graviney, who violated the Excise law, was dismissed.

Harlem's Highwayman Caught. Nicholas Vicreto, a highwayman, is locked up in Police Headquarters, and is good for a long

term in prison. On Oct, 11 he lottered about the Hariem Bank, saw Mrs. Fannie Mayer draw \$62, and following her to her home, seized her on the public thoroughfare and stole her bank book and money. After a diligent search Detectives O'Brien and McCauley arrested Vicreto on a charge of petry larceny, and were agreeably surprised when Mrs. Mayer and Cashier Thomas R. Ebbitt, of the Harlem Bank, identified him as the bold highwayman.

Coming Events.

The Hospital Saturday and Sunday Association will hold a regular meeting this evening at so o'clock, at St. Luko's Hospital, Pifty-fourth street and Pifth avenue.

The regular monthly meeting and dinner of the Electric Club will be held at the club rooms in the Hotel Dam, on Thursday evening next, at so o'clock. Prof. Leonard Walba, of Yale College, will speak.

The Young Men's Democratic Association of the Ninth Assembly District announce a campaign meeting at their headquarters, No. 313 Bicecker street, at 8 o'clock this evening.

The October meeting of the Congregational Club

The October meeting of the Congregational Club of New York and vicinity will be held at Clarke's. No. 22 West Twenty-third street, this evening at 5:80 o'clock. After the dinner the club will listen to a lecture by George W. Cable, the novelist, on "Cobwebs in the Church." The first of their winter series of free public entertainments will be given by the Gaelle Society at No. 17 West Twenty-eighth street this evening at 8 o'clock. The programme will consist of a series of dramatic readings and recitations by Mr. John J. Carolsa.

MATILDA'S WICKED HUSBAND

QUEER MATRIMONIAL EXPERIENCES OF AN ITALIAN GIRL.

Sold by Her Mother in Italy and Illegally Married in New York-Her Husband Ac cused of Bigamy and of Stealing Her Dower-Last of All He Drew a Knife on Her-Many Charges to be Met.

Matilda Zanbreno is a black-eved, round faced, well-developed Italian married girl of fourteen. Interpreter A. Grant, of the Essex Market Police Court, got a story from her today which is interesting, and which, if true, will lead to a variety of charges against her husband.

Matilda lived in the village of Ajatura, in

the province of Baciliata, and was considered the beauty of the village. But her mother was very poor, a cripple, and she could not hope for a good marriage in her native place. One day a padrone of the vills a came to her mother and said that if she wanted to see daughter married happily in the land daughter married happily in the land of gold and liberty she should give the passage ticket to America which he held in his hand to her daughter, and wish her Godspeed. The padrone further said that a son of Italy, who had prospered in America, had sent to him for a wife, and that as she was poor and her daughter pretty, he had no doubt that all parties would be satisfied with the marriage. Matilda Moretti, that was her maiden name, left her native village, promising to send for her mother at once, and arrived in the promised land on the 6th day

arrived in the promised land on the 6th day of June. Her future husband was at Castle Garden to receive her. On June 8 she accompanied him to the Mayor's office. She told Mayor Hewitt that she was only thirteen years old. His honor said that he could not marry them

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Four days after the marriage a friend of Matilda's told her that Angelo had been married four years before to an Italian woman who was still living, and by whom he had two children. When Angelo resolved to support two wives, it is averred, he got rid of the children, who are now four or five years old, by going to the Essex Market Court on January 13 last, and getting Agent Young, of Mr. Gerry's society to have them committed to the Catholic Protectory. For that Agent Young will have a bone to pick with Signor Zanbrant.

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When Zambreno learned that his second wife knew of his first wife, it is alleged that he took his first wife and \$300 belonging to his second wife and went to Buenos Ayres. The \$300 was all that Mathilda's mother had saved up during many years, and to her earnings well-to-do people in Ajitura had added contributions. Three weeks after the marriage in the Mayor's office Matilda's mother arrived in this country.

ting on some of his clothes, he ran down stairs to the sleeping room of John G. Allport's two daughters and Annie Stevens, a nurse. He broke open the door and shouted "Ffre!" It took Norris two minutes to make the women understand their danger. Even then he had to take Annie Stevens on nis back and run down two flights of stairs with her.

Running back, Morris hustled the other two out. His work was not yet all done, for in the next room lay the janitor and the proprietor of the Chandlery on the ground floor, who has been for some weeks confined to bed. His name is John G. Alpart, and he welghs over two hundred pounds. With the flames crackling about him Norris helped his heavy burden to the street, and then took all the rescued people around to Coenties slip.

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Jacob Sharp's Appeal. Argument on Jacob Sharp's appeal is down on the Court of Appeals calendar for Wednesday of this week, but to-day District-Attorney Martine said to an Eventre World reporter that the case would probably go over until some time next

would probably go over until some time next week.

'The People's case requires a little more prepar-ation for proper presentation, "he said. "The exact day for the argument has not been fixed. I expect to confer with Mr. Sharp's counsel to-day with reference to a day when the appeal may be heard, but if we are unable to agree I will have a representative at Albany to move an ad-lournment.

Barrett's Assailant in the Tombe Guisseppe Songsbardi, the Italian printer who

hot John Barrett, the policeman's son, while he was defending his sister from insult, was taken to the Tombs Police Court this morning by Policeman John McNealis, of the Oak Street Station, None of the members of the Barrett family were in court, and Policeman McNealis made the necessary affloyit. Justice O'felly committen Longsbardt to await the result of Barrett's injuries. It was expected that a scene would be enacted in court, as policeman Thomas Barrett, the father of the wounded man, had said that the Italian would not live to reach the court.

The Fulda Sighted Off Fire Island. The steamship Fulds, of the North German Lloyd line, which left Southampton on Oct. 9. has been sighted southeast of Fire Island. On board is Andrew Cornegie, with a deputation of members of both houses of Parlia-ment, who have been appointed by the Peace Asso-ciation of Great Britain to wait upon the President,

Mrs. Ella Harvey Discharged.

Mrs. Ella Harvey, who shot Col. Deming, was finally discharged on her own recognizance in the General Sessions Court to-day by Judge Gilder-

sleeve, because a subporna could not be served on Deming, and it was thought that a conviction couldn't be secured without his testimony. She had been in the Tombs nearly two months. She said she was sorry she was not to be tried, as she would have liked to testify about Col. Dening. Her health, she says, has been shattered by her mprisonment.

Depopulated by Typhoid Fever. [SPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD]

DETROIT, Oct. 17, 17,-Ison Mountain, a prospeacus village in Menoninee County, near the Wisconsin border, has been nearly depopulated by typhold fever. Nearly everyhody is sick, and there are a dozen funerals a day. The local physi-cians are sick, and medical aid has been summoded

No New Deaths from Yellow Fever. [SPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD]

WASHINGTON, Oct. 17.-A despatch from Coloec at Tampa, to Surgeon-Gen. Hamilton, says that there has been no recent deaths from yellow fever at that place, but that three new cases have been developed. There is no immediate prospect of a further spread of the disease.

Trying Hard to Anchor O'Brien. THE BOSS'S GRIP IS GOOD.

Likely to Hold the Bureau of Elections Unti After Election.

There is no longer much doubt that John J. O'Brien will hold over as Chief of the Bureau of Elections until after the election. His Republican friends in the Police Board, Messrs. French and McClave, have declared that they will not consider any measure to punish him for a stretch of legal authority in granting commissions to the George inspectors until after Nov. 8, which is a virtual declaration that he shall control the election machinery under their guidance. Both Commissioners say that they will vote to appoint a successor to

Both Commissioners say that they will yote to appoint a successor to Mr. O'Brien, provided that he is a Republican and his name is Mott. Commissioners Voorhis and Porter are anxious to get rid of O'Brien, but they insist that Col. Gilon, who stands at the head of the civil service eligible list, is entitled to the place. Gilon is a Democrat.

When the protest was issued by the Republican Commissioners which established Mr. O'Brien's hold on the office, Mr. French remarked: "I want the Labor people to see who are their friends in the Police Board." Commissioner Voorhis said that in defeating the resolution of inquiry into Mr. O'Brien's misconduct the Republican Commissioners had injured their friend, as the Democrats would be forced to resort to other and severer measures. This probably means that O'Brien's conduct will be made the subject of judicial inquiry, and that steps may be taken to investigate the methods of running the Bureau of Elections.

tions.

Messre, French and McClave are masters of the situation, and they mean to make the most of it, unless Mayor Hewitt interposes with a movement to secure their removal.

CHARLES DICKENS'S ARRIVAL.

Here on a Tour to Give Readings from His Father's Works. Charles Dickens, jr., arrived in this city this

morning by the steamship Aurania, which went aground for three or four hours yesterday afternoon. Mr. Dickens is accompanied by his wife

and daughter.

He is rather stout, has more than a tendency to baidness, has gray hair, and wears speciacles.

Mr. Dickens is to read selections from his father's works under the management of Major Pond. He has been reading in England, and has met, it is has been reading in England, and has met, it is said, with considerable success. At a recent reading, when he gave selections from "David Copperfield," he was enthusiastically applauded, and called again and again before the audience.

Mr. Dickens will first be heard at Chickering Hall, next Monday, and will give no other reading in New York before January. The time, however, will be very much occupied, and after his reading in this city he will go to Brooklyn, Troy, Poughkeepsie, Boston, where he will be the guest of the Papyrus Club, Portland, Lynn, Worcester, North Adams, Springfield, Buffalo, Chicago, and other cities.

Popular Miss McQueeney. An interesting feature at the ball of the Anti-Povertyites this evening will be the presentation of the gold watch won by Miss McQueency as the most popular young lady of the fair.

Tips From the "Evening World's" Ticker. Western land speculation, as a "local issue, oes not seem to be popular on the Street. The rumor this morning is that the Rockefeller interest has soid out its entire holdings of Rich-

Liquidation on a large scale is predicted to-day by the bears. Bateman heads the cry and points to Boston as a victim of Atchison investment, The opinion is general this morning that Chauncey Depew's St. Louis interview atruck nearer the truth than his New York explanation. A foremost buil says that people with money, who now decline to come in and take away stocks, miss the opportunity of a life time to realize large

profits.

As a result of last week's movement, the city banks now hold in lawful money \$1,360,200, as against \$8,112,550 for the provious week, showing a decrease of \$503,550,

To-day it is reported that capitalists of Southern California have incorporated a company to build a road in the interest of the Missouri Pacific, from Salt Lake City to Los Angeles.

A prominent commission man says to-day that stocks have nrw got so low as to tempt even the bears to purchase, and that the market has doubly discounted any catastrophe which could possibly happen.

It is predicted by the bears that Northwest will sell at par before the close of the week. The bulls for the moment have ceased to predict anything. They mourn the alleged periody of their leader, Jay Gould.

Henry Clews says this morning that Jay Gould is playing 'possum, talking bull and manipulating a decline. He has been hammering down the mar-ket for the past innert days, in the face of condi-tions which should influence an advance, A conservative house says to-day that, notwith-standing the how of the "street," the reconstruc-tion of Reading and the readjustment of B. and O. affairs are factors of immense importance to those who hold securities of trunk lines.

News reaches the Lirect to-day that the French Cable Company has been granted a concession, with interest guaranteed, for a cable connecting Brazil, Cental America, the Antilles and New York. Already 15,000,000 francs have been subscribed to the work of cynstruction by a French

syndate.
It is currently reported this morning that unless
the Ohio courts appoint a receiver the Vandalia
deal made by Ives will be carried out by the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton lines. At lasst
\$1,800,000 would be required to settle the claims of
stockholders, and the popular query is, Where
will it come from?

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A tradic arrangement has been made among the Northern Pacific, Duiuth, South Shore and Atlantic, and Michigan Central railroads that will establish those three roads as a new transcontinental system, 150 to 300 miles shorter than any existing routes between coasts. The result will be seen in the increased tonnage of the Vanderbilt trank lines.

lines.

Samuel Dickson, Chairman of the Executive Committee of Reading trustees, says in regard to the new 4 per cent. loan, that it is made under conditions which make the mortagage in fact a collateral trust. Under the agreement the trustees of the mortagage will collect coupons on \$50,000,000 general mortgage 6s amounting to \$1,200,000, upon \$5,000,000 general mortgage is amounting to \$200,000 and upon \$10.000,000 income 7s amounting to \$200,000 and upon \$10.000,000 income 7s amounting to \$200,000,000, or \$2.50,000 as a fund out of which to pay 4 per cent. on the \$21,000,000, or about \$1,000,000.

BIG FIRE AT LAKEWOOD.

TWO HOTELS AND MANY COTTAGES AL-READY CONSUMED.

General Devastation of the Pretty Chantama qua Village is Feared-The Loss, it is Thought, will Reach \$1,000,000 - The Fire Department of the Town Powerless to Check the Rapidly Sprending Flames.

JAMESTOWN, N. Y., Oct. 17 .- The Lake! View House, the Kent House and many cottages in Lakewood are on fire and are burning rapidly.

The loss is estimated in the neighborhood; of \$1,000,000.

The greatest excitement prevails in the surrounding country, and all possible proffers of assistance are made by farmers and business men. Neighbors have taken people made homeless by the flames into their houses, and are making them as comfortable as possible under the circumstances. It is impossible to determine yet how the fire

originated. The flames are spreading rapidly and the fire department is powerless.

SAT DOWN ON JUDGE CARPENTER.

udge Nelson Says Rhode Island Justice Will Not Do at All in Massachuse

[SPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD.] BOSTON, Oct. 17.-That Massachusetts Judges are sometimes jealous of their prerogatives was illustrated by an incident which occurred in the United States District Court recently, where a case was being tried

recently, where a case was being tried before Judge Nelson, and the latter stated that, as the evidence in the case involved the examination of a large number of papers, it might require a reference to an auditor.

One of the counsel at this suggested that his Honor, Judge Carpenter—who is a resident of Rhode Island, but frequently holds the Circut Court in this city—had ruled that the practice in the United States courts did not permit such a procedure.

Judge Nelson rather sharply replied to the remarks of counsel by saying that this was not the law, and that he had recently had a conversation with Justice Gray upon this subject, and the latter had agreed that lawyers from other Staies would not be allowed to come in Massachusetts and change the rules as immemorially practiced in the courts of the latter State. The case was not referred to an auditor.

SUFFOCATED BY SMOKE.

A Fire Over a Stable Causes the Death of Two Young Children.

[SPECIAL TO THE EVERING WORLD.] PEABODY, Mass., Oct. 17.-James O'Connell, with his wife and two children, James, aged four, and Mary, aged two, resided in a tenement over a stable in the rear of Samuel Trask's store on Washington street. The tenement compromises three low-studded rooms. O'Connell weut to church alone imnediately after break fast yesterday. Shortly afterward Mrs. O'Connell locked the chil-

dren in a room and went to call on a neigh-About 11.30 o'clock a woman noticed smoke a bout 11.30 o'clock a woman noticed smoss issuing from the windows and gave an alarm of fire. The firemen were unable, by reason of the smoke to enter the house. Mrs. O'Connel coming on to the scene, made known the fact of her children being in the house, and after a desparate effort entrance was effected. The children were both found suffocated and the united efforts of the doctors failed to re-

vive them. Meetings are to be held on Thursday night at Cooper Union and at Sulzer's Harlem River Park to protest against the sentence of the Chicago Anarchists and to raise money for the appeal to the Supreme Court of the United States. The meetings will be under the management of the Central Labor Union and of the Enights of Labor, and will be addressed by Gen. Roger FA. Prior and Capt. Black, of counsel for the condemned men.

Cut by a Stranger in a Monte Den. Joseph Munzia, of No. 86 James street, appeared at the Essex Market Court this morning with a silk

handkerchief around his face and said that as he was going downstairs in a three-card monte den in Mulberry street last evening, Glovanni Maria, an utter stranger, jumped at him and cut his face with a dirk. Maria was held for trial.

In the Way of a Pennsylvania Train. [SPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD] NEWARE, Oct. 17.—John Meachon, aged twenty-

wo years, of 100 Nichols street, Newark, was

struck by an east-bound Pennsylvania Railroad train at the Chestnut street depot this morning and badly injured. He was taken to St. Michael's Their Wenry Sojourn Nearly Over. No new cases of cholera were reported to-day, At the office of the Fabre line, to which the Ale belonged, it was said that the company expected that the passengers on Hoffman Island would be discharged at the end of this week.

The Crime of Selling Two Neckties. Alexander Hirsch and Louis Schnackenburg were arrested at 366 Bowery for having sold two

neckties on Sunday. Justice Gorman at Jefferson Market Court to-day held them for trial.

Forty thousand men are expected by the labor caders to join in to-night's demonstration. Progressive Painters' Union No. 1 has con-lemned, by resolution, the Union Square outrage. Members of Cigarmakers' Unions Nos. 10, 141 and 144 have been assessed one cent per capita to defray the expenses of the boycott on Stabl.

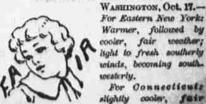
The New York Journeymen Harness-Makers' Association has severed its connection with the Knights of Labor because it was on the decline under the jurisdiction of the order.

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under the jurisdiction of the order.

The officers of the Ocean Association of Long-shoremen have addressed a satirical letter to the officers of the Old Dominion Steamship Company on the death of N. C. McCready, President of that corporation. It will be remembered that Mr. McCready was the bitter opponent of the longshoremen during the strike last winter.

Prob Says It Will Be Fair.



Warmer, followed by cooler, fair weather, light to fresh southerly winds, becoming south socaterly. For Connecticutz

slightly cooler, fair weather, followed by light rains; light to fresh southerly winds skift.